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SUPPLIED TO WORKSTATIONS BY AN AUTOLOADER

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AMENDMENT "A"

(In response to Paper No. 20050929)

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Sir:

This amendment is filed in response to the Office action dated October 5, 2005. The three month period for responding to the Office action expires on January 5, 2005. A check for \$200.00 is included for one additional independent claim. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

- Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.
- Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.

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